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**Edward R. Cochrane, Jr.**



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Mr. Cochrane is the Director, Investment and Development Division (FMB-2), Office of Budget, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Financial Management and Comptroller). He is primarily responsible for budget formulation, justification, and execution oversight of the Department of the Navy's investment appropriations (Procurement, R&D, Military Construction, and Family Housing), totaling in excess of \$60 billion, and has served in that position since November, 2004.

Mr. Cochrane was selected as a member of the Senior Executive Service (SES) in May, 1999 and currently has 29 years of total civilian service with the Department of the Navy.

His initial SES position (1999-2004) was Director, Civilian Resources and Business Affairs Division (FMB-4), Office of Budget, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Financial Management and Comptroller). In that capacity, his budgetary responsibilities included the Department's \$20 billion Navy Working Capital Fund (NWCF) budget and budget for civilian personnel and information technology resources.

Immediately prior to SES selection, Mr. Cochrane served as the primary budget analyst to the Deputy Undersecretary of the Navy in the Department of the Navy's Organization, Management, and Infrastructure Team (DONOMIT) from December 1997 through January 1999.

From 1989 to 1997, Mr. Cochrane held 2 supervisory positions in the Office of the Comptroller of the Navy, including Branch Head of the Major Platforms Branch (APN/SCN appropriations) in the Investment Division (FMB-2) and Deputy Director of the Operations Division (FMB-1).

Mr. Cochrane served the first 10 years of his federal career with the Comptroller Directorate of the Naval Sea Systems Command. He began in 1979 as budget analyst intern in the Shipbuilding and Conversion, Navy (SCN) Appropriation Office and gradually assumed greater responsibilities in the SCN Office, culminating as the Division Director from 1987 to 1989.

Mr. Cochrane graduated from Georgetown University, Washington, DC, in 1978 with a B.A. in Government. He also received a master's degree in public administration from Syracuse University in 1979.

Mr. Cochrane's awards include the 2008 Presidential Rank Award of Meritorious Executive, Meritorious Unit Commendation (2000), and Navy Meritorious Civilian Service (1998). He is also a member of the American Society of Military Comptrollers.